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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
MASAHIKO KUBOTA, ET AL.) Examiner: Raquel Y. Gordon
Application No.: 10/615,143) Group Art Unit: 2853
Filed: July 9, 2003)
For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING)
LIQUID DISCHARGE HEAD) April 5, 2005

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Sir:

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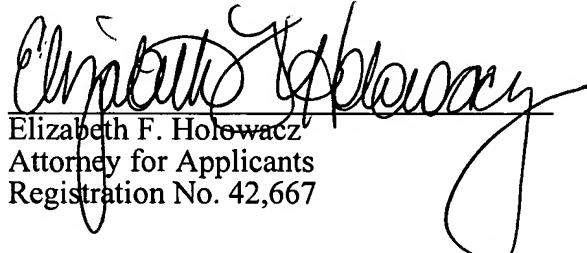
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